

## Message Text

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ACTION IO-14

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-15 SP-02 EB-08 H-01 INR-10  
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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9953

INFO AMEMBASSY ACCRA

AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

USMISSION GENEVA

AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

AMEMBASSY LAGOS

AMEMBASSY LIMA

AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO

AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

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BANGKOK FOR AMBASSADOR WELLS (USDEL/ESCAP)

E.O.11652:N/A

TAGS: UN

SUBJECT: UN RESTRUCTURING: WALDHEIM PICKS DADZIE FOR  
DIRECTOR GENERAL

REFS: (A) USUN 797 (NOTAL), (B) GENEVA 6964 (NOTAL)

1. BLOMBERG (DEPUTY FINNISH PERMREP), CHAIRMAN WEO FOR  
MARCH, TOLD POL COUNSELOR LATE MARCH 15 WALDHEIM HAD  
FORMALLY NOTIFIED REGIONAL GROUP CHAIRMEN SAME AFTERNOON  
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THAT HE WOULD APPOINT KEN DADZIE (GHANA) AS NEW DIRECTOR  
GENERAL. BLOMBERG SAID FINNS WOULD SOON CIRCULATE TEXT  
OF SYG LETTER TO ALL WEO MEMBERS.

2. UN SPOKESMAN (STAJDUHAR) TOLD NOON BRIEFING MARCH 15  
SYG HAD MADE HIS PREFERENCE FOR POST KNOWN TO REGIONAL  
GROUP CHAIRMEN, BUT THAT APPOINTMENT HAD NOT BEEN

OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED. STAJDUHAR WENT ON TO SAY THAT DADZIE IS WALDHEIM'S CHOICE. THERE WERE NO FOLLOW-UP QUESTIONS.

3. UN PRESS DIVISION SEPARATELY TOLD USUN THAT FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT WILL BE MADE ON MONDAY, MARCH 13. YOUNG

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## Message Attributes

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